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In re Application of:

Karl L. GINTER et al.

Application No.: 09/466,171

Filed: December 17, 1999

For: TRUSTED INFRASTRUCTURE  
SUPPORT SYSTEMS, METHODS,  
AND TECHNIQUES FOR SECURE  
ELECTRONIC COMMERCE,  
ELECTRONICS TRANSACTIONS  
AND RIGHTS MANAGEMENT

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Sir:

**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application  
as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please cancel claims 72-74. Claims 1, 21-71 remain pending.

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